

House Judiciary DUI Subcommittee Amendment # 1

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 3264*

House Bill No. 3292

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. It is the legislative intent by the provisions of this act to establish a pilot program to further deter driving while under the influence of alcohol or drugs or both. It is the further legislative intent in creating such pilot program to provide law enforcement with additional tools to enforce the laws of this state to prevent offenders from driving after revocation or suspension of the offender's driver license.

SECTION 2. There is appropriated the sum of ninety-five thousand dollars (\$95,000) to the district attorneys general conference for the purpose of creating a pilot program in three (3) judicial districts. Such funds shall be expended to contract with or employ private investigators or other investigators to randomly perform surveillance on persons who have had their driver license suspended or revoked pursuant to the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 4 or Title 55, Chapter 50, for a third or subsequent conviction for driving under the influence of alcohol, drugs or both alcohol and drugs. Such investigators shall report their findings to the district attorney general for prosecution, if appropriate.

SECTION 3. By February 1, 1999, the district attorneys general conference shall report to the General Assembly on the success of the pilot program created by this act and the extent to which the program has measurably deterred persons convicted of driving under the influence of an intoxicant for a third or subsequent time from operating a motor vehicle while their license to do so is suspended or revoked.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect July 1, 1998, the public welfare requiring it.

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